



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PATENT APPLICATION EXAMINING OPERATIONS**

Applicant No. : 10/066,087  
Applicant : Benjamin C. Rivera  
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Examiner : Hadi Shakeri  
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INCLUDING SPRING  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Applicant confirms that he authorized the Examiner's Amendment sent via facsimile February 24, 2005. Applicant now requests continued examination. The Amendment requested below applies to the claims as amended in the Examiner's Amendment.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.